

- Impacts to ecological resources, including threatened and endangered species, floodplains, and wetlands.
- Health impacts to the public and SRS workers from exposure to radiological and hazardous materials during routine operations and reasonably foreseeable accidents.
- Socioeconomic impacts, including impacts associated with the workforce required to construct and operate an ITP replacement.
- Disproportionately high and adverse impacts to minority and low-income populations (environmental justice).
- Compliance with applicable Federal, State and local requirements and agreements.
- Effects of constructing and operating an ITP replacement technology on SRS waste management operations and facilities.
- Relationship to SRS land use plans.
- Pollution prevention, waste minimization, and energy and water use reduction technologies to reduce the use of energy, water, and hazardous substances and to minimize environmental impacts during construction and operation of an ITP replacement.
- Impacts on cultural and historic resources.
- Cumulative environmental impacts of past, present, and reasonably foreseeable future operations at the SRS.
- Irreversible and irretrievable commitment of resources.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. TM99-6-23-000]

#### Eastern Shore Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

February 16, 1999.

Take notice that on February 10, 1999, Eastern Shore Natural Gas Company (ESNG) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, certain revised tariff sheets in the above captioned dockets. Such revised tariff sheets bear proposed effective dates of January 1, 1999 and February 1, 1999, respectively.

ESNG states the purpose of the instant filing is to track rate changes attributable to storage service purchased from Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) under its Rate Schedules GSS and LSS, respectfully, the costs of which comprise the rates and charges payable under ESNG's respective Rate Schedule GSS and LSS. Transco filed its GSS and LSS storage tracking filing on January 27, 1999. This tracking filing is being made pursuant to Section 3 of ESNG's Rate Schedule GSS and LSS.

ESNG states that copies of the filing have been served upon its jurisdictional customers and interested State Commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with § 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 1994-004 Utah]

#### Heber Light & Power Company; Notice of Availability of Final Environmental Assessment

February 16, 1999.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations, 18 CFR Part 380 (Order No. 486, 52 FR 47897), the Office of Hydropower Licensing has reviewed the application for a new license for the Snake Creek Hydroelectric Project. The project is located on Snake Creek and

partially within the Uinta National Forest, in Wasatch County, Utah.

On October 9, 1998, the Commission staff issued a draft environmental assessment (DEA) for the project and requested that comments be filed with the Commission within 30 days. Comments on the DEA were filed by one entity and are addressed in the final environmental assessment (FEA) for the project.

The FEA contains the staff's analysis of the potential environmental impacts of the project and concludes that licensing the project, with appropriate environmental protective measures, would not constitute a major federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment. The U.S.D.A. Forest Service cooperated with the Commission by reviewing and commenting on drafts of the FEA.

Copies of the FEA are available for review in the Public Reference Room, Room 2A, of the Commission's offices at 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. The EA may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (please call (202) 208-2222 for assistance).

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. MT99-6-000]

#### Mid Louisiana Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

February 16, 1999.

Take notice that on February 10, 1999, Mid Louisiana Gas Company (Mid Louisiana) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with an effective date of March 11, 1999:

Fifth Revised Sheet No. 130  
Eighth Revised Sheet No. 131

Mid Louisiana states that the primary purpose of the filing of the Revised Tariff Sheets(s) is to update its tariff to reflect recent changes in shared personnel and facilities.

Pursuant to Section 154.7(a)(7) of the Commission's Regulations, Mid Louisiana respectfully requests waiver of any requirement of the Regulations in order to permit the tendered tariff sheet to become effective March 11, 1999, as submitted.